

COLLEGIANS WILL LAY HOUSE STONE

Augustana to Direct Ceremonies to Be Held Preliminary to the Fort Armstrong Celebration.

ALL SCHOOLS INVITED TO JOIN

Exercises Are to Take Place at the Building to Be Erected on Island Wednesday, May 10.

Augustana college will lay the cornerstone of the reproduced block house that stood at the southern angle of the old Fort Armstrong enclosure. At least the board of directors of the Fort Armstrong Centennial association tendered this honor to the college at its meeting held at the Rock Island club, yesterday. The block house committee of the association was instructed to cooperate with the college and an invitation is extended to the schools of Scott county and Rock Island county to participate in the event. This celebration will be held Wednesday, May 10, at 3:30 in the afternoon. Inasmuch as the school year for Augustana ends about the first of June and most of the students will have gone to their homes before the date of the big centennial celebration, which is to be given under the auspices of the Rock Island County Historical society and the historical section of the Davenport Academy of Sciences June 18-25, and owing to the fact that the event is one of great historical interest, President Gustav Andreen of that institution expressed a desire that the college be permitted to hold a celebration on the date of the 100th anniversary of the landing of the troops on the island of Rock Island, May 19.

Formal Action Taken.

A letter addressed to the Fort Armstrong Centennial association was read by President L. C. Norwood at yesterday's board meeting in which President Andreen explained the nature of the celebration the college desired to put on. He stated that John H. Hauberg and Mrs. K. T. Anderson had been invited to speak on that occasion; that the college band would participate, as would a chorus of male voices.

A motion was made and prevailed that the proposition of the college be accepted and that the block house committee of the association consisting of G. A. Stephens, Moline; W. S. McCullough, Davenport, and Phil Mitchell, Rock Island, be directed to cooperate with the college and that the laying of the cornerstone of the block house be set for May 10 and the ceremony accompanying it be turned over to the college. It was further directed that the schools of the two counties be invited to participate in the celebration. Orrin S. Holt, who has charge of the construction of the block house, reported that the work on the foundation would be started on Monday next by McConchie & Sons; that provision would be made for the cornerstone and that everything would be in readiness by May 10 for the ceremonies.

Prelude to Celebration.

This celebration will be in the nature of a prelude to the big celebration which is to follow. The anniversary of the date of the landing of the troops is a fitting one on which to lay the cornerstone. Not only will it furnish the students and the pupils of the schools an opportunity to participate, but it will arouse interest in the big celebration which is to follow. The students will return to their homes in every part of the United States and Canada and spread the tidings, while the pupils will bring its importance home to their parents.

The invitation to the schools is a general one and is extended to all schools, parochial and public, St. Ambrose college in Davenport, St. Katharine's, also of that city, and the Villa de Chantal of Rock Island, and all educational institutions.

NEWS WRITERS ARE EXEMPT FROM ARMY

London.—(Correspondence of The Associated Press.)—The war office has refused to exempt from army service a great many newspaper men and women who has been designated by the Newspaper Proprietors' association at London as essential to the work of publishing the local papers.

Art editors, photographers and dark room operators are not considered as editorial staff employees by the war office and it refused to exempt them from military service. The same ruling was applied to all society editors, fiction editors, sporting editors and headline writers. Sub-editors (copy readers) were for some unexplained reason considered more essential to the papers than any of the other members of the staffs.

"The general principle to be followed," the war office ruled, "is that the men to be exempted are serving some vital purpose during a time of war."

Many of the leading London papers were careful to publish a notice reading like this: "It should be mentioned that the editor of the London Blank has not applied for exemption or postponement of service in any case of any war age man on the editorial staff."

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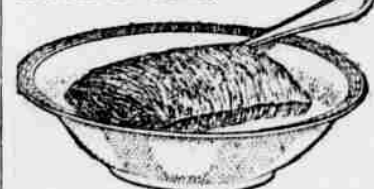
MARS CAUSING NO PEEVE FOR BUNNY

God of War Has Not Raised Prices in Easter Egg Coloring, Although Hen Fruit Is Higher.

Mars is not being censured by Rock Island kiddies. While blame is being heaped profusely on the god of war for advance in prices of many commodities he has not interfered with the Easter bunny, and there very

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likely will be more colored eggs in Rock Island on Easter Sunday than ever before.

A canvass of Rock Island drug stores shows that there is a big supply of Easter dyes, and while the war has caused a shortage in other dyes, so that the merchant will think long before he will guarantee mummy's garments will not fade on the washboard, egg coloring is plentiful.

Dealers say that the old custom of coloring eggs is more popular this year than it has been for 10 or 12 years, and the advance sale would indicate that Sunday will be a banner Easter as far as the kiddies are concerned.

Eggs will be higher this year than last, despite the fact the supply is more abundant. Eggs at Easter last year sold from 18 to 20 cents a dozen, but they are now selling at 23 cents. A large amount of the hen fruit from local sources is being shipped east without touching the Rock Island market, which is true generally through the middle west.

Boston and New York and other points in the east are in the market for a tremendous supply and are forcing the prices up.

Easter dinners will be less expensive this year than last, due largely to the plentiful supply of green food-stuffs.

Special Assessment Notice.

General, No. 384.

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested, that the city council of Rock Island, Illinois, having ordered that Thirty-ninth street from the south curb line of Fifth avenue to the north line of Eighth avenue and all intersecting intersections with avenues and alleys, excepting Seventh avenue, be excavated, graded, curbed and paved with asphalt, and the ordinance for the same being on file in the office of the city clerk of said city, and said city having applied to the county court

of Rock Island county, Illinois, for an assessment of the cost of said improvement according to benefits, said assessment being payable in nine installments, each bearing interest at the rate of five per cent per annum, and an assessment therefore having been made and returned to said court, the final hearing thereon will be had on the fourth day of May, A. D. 1916, at the hour of 9 o'clock a. m., or as soon thereafter as the business of the court will permit.

All persons desiring, may file objections in said court, before said day, and may appear on the hearing and make their defense.

Dated Rock Island, Illinois, April 18, 1916.

GEORGE W. FLOOD, Commissioner appointed to make said assessment.

JOHN K. SCOTT, City Attorney.

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